

NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER FOR SALE  
FLATHEAD NATIONAL FOREST

Proposal Due Date:

**2:00 p.m., September 10, 2013**

The Swan Flat Stewardship project is located within Portions of: Section 32 T20N R16W; Sections 5, 6, 8 T19N R16W; Sections 10, 11, 12, 14, 21, 22, 27, 28 T19N R17W; and Section 4 T18N R17W Missoula County, State of Montana, P.M.M. The Forest Service will receive SEALED bids at the Forest Supervisor's Office, Kalispell, MT at 2:00 PM local time on September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2013 for an estimated volume of 10,374 Tons of Lodgepole pine (live and dead) sawtimber, and 5,863 Tons of Douglas fir and Other Species (live and dead) sawtimber marked or otherwise designated for cutting. There is also an estimated 16,567 Tons of nonsaw timber, which will be sold at a fixed rate. Bids will be opened and evaluated in private and will not be opened to the public. Bids will be evaluated on a "best value" basis. Bidders will submit separate bids for timber stumpage, and for the cost of Stewardship Projects. The costs of Stewardship Projects will be offset against stumpage paid, as work on the Stewardship Projects is completed. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. A prospectus is available to the public and interested potential bidders. Bids can be hand-delivered to the Forest Supervisors Office or mailed to 650 Wolfpack Way, Kalispell, Montana. Full information concerning the timber, conditions of the sale and the submission of bids should be obtained from the Swan Lake Ranger District, Kalispell, Montana, or the Forest Supervisor's Office, Kalispell, Montana.

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